



# THE ASSAM GAZETTE

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DEPARTMENT OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (PLAIN)

## NOTIFICATION

The 26th March, 2025

**No. E 635066/22.-** In the interest of public service and for maintaining financial discipline in the functioning of Development Councils, it is hereby ordered that:

1. The State Government is not responsible for any financial transaction of Development Councils.
2. Beyond Grants-in-Aid, no financial liability is vested in the Government for acts done, contracts entered into etc. by the Development Councils.
3. All bid documents of RFPs / tenders floated by the Development Councils must include a clause that the Government of Assam will not be liable for liabilities arising out of contracts entered into by Development Councils.
4. All procurements, fully or partially funded from State Budgetary grants, will follow Assam Public Procurement Rule framework.
5. All Rules/Norms applicable for Public Financial Management in State Government will be equally applicable for Development Councils as well.
6. There shall be mandatory Audit of Council accounts every year. Directorate of Audit (Local Fund), Assam will provide requisite support in this annual exercise.

This supersedes any other instructions issued in this regard.

This is issued with the approval of Competent Authority.

**RAMEN CHANDRA MALAKAR,**  
Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Assam,  
Department of Tribal Affairs (Plain).